IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE Examiner: David Fox application of: Knauf and Kridl Art Unit: 1638 Serial No: 09/232,861 Date of mailing of Notice of Allowance: Filed: January 15, 1999 26 January, 2001 For: METHODS AND COMPOSITIONS FOR Base Issue Fee Due: 26 April, 2001 REGULATED TRANSCRIPTION AND **EXPRESSION OF HETEROLOGOUS GENES** Issue Batch No.: B15 AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR §1.312a

BOX ISSUE FEE

Assistant Commissioner of Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Transmitted herewith are the following documents in the above-identified application.

[X]44 corrected formal drawings.

Amendment under 37 CFR 1.312a. X

[X]Return receipt postcard.

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The fees have been calculated as shown below:

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Claims	Remain after Amend	Highest No. Prev. Paid	Pres. Extra	Rate		Fee	Rate		Fee	
Total:				x \$9	=		x \$18	=		
Indep:				x \$39	=	\$	x \$78	=	\$	

If Multiple dependent Claims

are used for the first time in this application, add \$130 (small entity) \$260 (large entity).

Total Additional Claims Fee:

\$

Extension of Time Fee		Small Entity	Large Entity
[]	One Month	\$ 55	\$ 110
[]	Two Months	\$195	\$ 390
[]	Three Months	\$445	\$ 890
[]	Four Months	\$695	\$1390
[]	Five Months	\$945	\$1890

Other fees (list individually):

TOTAL FEES: \$0.00

- [] A check including the amount of the above-indicated TOTAL FEES is attached.
- [] Please charge Deposit Account No. 18-0020 in the amount of \$.
- [X] No fee is required.
- [X] <u>Conditional Petition for Extension of Time</u>: An extension of time is requested in the present and/or the above-referenced parent application to provide for timely filing <u>if</u> an extension of time is still required after all papers filed with this transmittal have been considered.
- [X] The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any underpayment of the following fees associated with this communication, including any necessary fees for extension of time, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 18-0020.

- [X] Any filing fees under 37 CFR 1.16 including fees for the presentation of extra claims.
- [X] Any parent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.
- [X] A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached for accounting purposes.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: 25 February, 2001

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